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May 6th, 1891.

Thomas H. Montgomery, Esq.,

Accounting Warden of Christ Church,

#308 Walnut Street.

My Dear Sir:-

At the last meeting of the Vestry the papers relating to the parsonage lot were by resolution recommitted to the gentlemen who before then had reported upon a form of instrument of renewal of term; and I, as counsel of the corporation, was requested to ask the Messrs. Biddle for a delay of ten days in their proposed litigation. In the interval I have not heard from the Committee. To-day I am in receipt of a communication from the Messrs. Biddle & Ward that they have filed a bill against Christ Church, and they ask me if I will accept service of the same rather than put them to the step of a formal service upon the corporation. I have, accordingly, accepted service. I have endeavored since the last Vestry meeting to stay the hand of the Messrs. Biddle until I should have heard from the Committee. They profess, however, that they have waited now as long as the interest of their clients will allow. Under these circumstances, I will ask you officially to communicate this letter to the Vestry.

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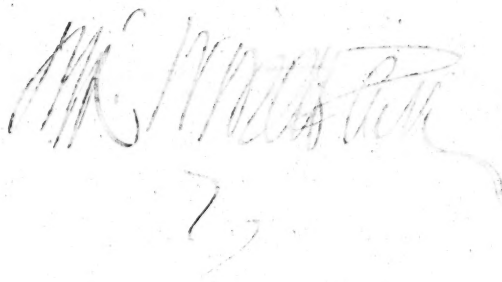
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I enclose to you herewith a copy of the bill in equity filed.

I am

Very truly yours,

(Dictated.)

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Perhaps a meeting is not necessary: there
sh'd be no trouble about the case, and
will see Judge Thompson.

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December 30th, 1891.

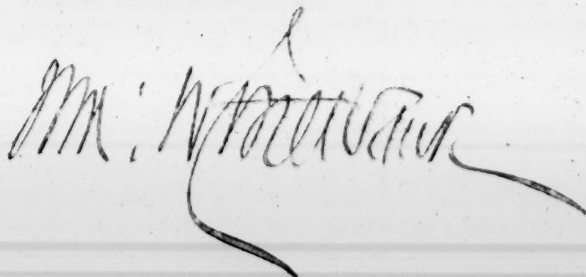
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Dear Sir:-

I beg leave to inform you that I have the personal assurance of the Director of Public Works that Messrs. Snowden & Company have been warned by the police department to keep off the pavement of Christ Church on Second Street, and that the authority of the City shall be exerted to secure a continued compliance with this warning. I have induced this action by my desire to secure the end in view without recourse to legal proceedings. Please let me know if Snowden & Company give further trouble. I shall proceed to extreme measures if this second effort on my part, and their second assurance of orderly behavior in the future, prove unavailing.

I am

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Wm. W. Wiltbank", with a long, sweeping flourish extending from the bottom right.